

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of :
Mami OJIMA et al. : Attn: BOX PCT
Serial No. NEW : Docket No. 2002_0041A
Filed January 18, 2002 :

AGENT FOR PREVENTING RECURRENCE OF
CEREBROVASCULAR DISORDER AND AGENT
FOR AMELIORATING TROUBLES FOLLOWING
CEREBROVASCULAR DISORDER AND INHIBITING
PROGRESS THEREOF
[Corresponding to PCT/JP00/04830
Filed July 19, 2000]

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculating the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as
follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, immediately after the title, please insert:

A1
This application is a 371 of PCT/JP00/04830 filed July 19, 2000.

Page 54, line 17, please replace the paragraph with the following:

A2
Action of Candesartan cilexetil in ameliorating troubles following cerebrovascular disorder
in Stroke-Prone Spontaneously Hypertensive Rat (SHRSP).